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SUBSTRATE HAVING IMPROVED BARRIER PROPERTIES  
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RESPONSE B

Responsive to the Official Action mailed April 1, 2005, please amend the specification and claims as detailed hereinafter and reconsider the claims in view of the arguments presented hereinafter.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.